## ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed Bids will be received by the Board of Supervisors of Yalobusha County, Mississippi, in the office of the Chancery Clerk at the Yalobusha County Court House, 14400 Main Street, Coffeeville, Mississippi until 10:00 a.m. on September 10, 2018, for the Project known as:

Board of Supervisors, Yalobusha County, Mississippi Yalobusha General Hospital and Nursing Home Gero-Psych Unit Renovation CDBG #1133-16-081-ED-01

at which time they will be publicly opened and read. Plans and specifications are on file at certain plan rooms and copies thereof may be obtained from:

Hardy and Associates/ Architect, PLLC 15260 Big John Road, Suite A Biloxi, MS 39532 228-215-1851

Plans and specifications are being made available via original paper copy. Plan Holders are required to register and order bid documents at <a href="https://www.mhardyarchitect.com">www.mhardyarchitect.com</a> Bid deposits in the amount of \$300.00 per set for documents are refundable and must be purchased through the website. Questions regarding website registration and online orders please contact Plan House Printing and Graphics 228-248-0181. For questions related to the contract documents contact Hardy and Associates, PLLC at 228-215-1851. A charge of \$300.00 shall be made for each additional set. Local Plan Room will be issued one (1) set free of charge and are to not be copied or distributed to members. No partial sets of drawings or project manuals will be issued.

In order to comply with Federal Procurement Regulations (24 CFR 85), Minority and Woman Owned Business Enterprises are encouraged to submit a bid for this project. The successful bidder will take all necessary affirmative steps to assure that Minority and Woman Owned Business Enterprises are used when possible as subcontractors on this project.

Section 3 of the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968 requires that the county and contractors participating in CDBG projects give opportunities for job training and employment to lower income residents of the Section 3 area that is described as Yalobusha County, Mississippi. Section 3 also requires that, to the greatest extent feasible, contracts for work in connection with Section 3 covered projects be awarded to businesses that are located in or owned by Section 3 persons residing in the Section 3 area.

Proposal shall be submitted on Bid Forms provided with the specifications. The current Certificate of Responsibility Number of the bidder shall appear on the outside of each sealed envelope containing a proposal, said envelope being plainly marked "PROPOSAL FOR "Board of Supervisors, Yalobusha County, Mississippi, Yalobusha General Hospital and Nursing Home, Gero-Psych Unit Renovation, CDBG #1133-16-081-ED-01".

Each Bid must be accompanied by a bid bond or certified check in an amount equal to 5% of the bid, payable to the Board of Supervisors, Yalobusha County, Mississippi as bid security.

A Payment and Performance Bond and Builders Risk Insurance in an amount equal to 100% of the contract price shall be required of the successful bidder.

The Contract will be awarded to the lowest, best and acceptable bidder, except that the Board of Supervisors, Yalobusha County, Mississippi reserves the right to waive any informality in the bidding and to reject any and all bids. A pre-bid has been set for August 31, 2018 at 10:00 a.m. in the Yalobusha County Board of Supervisors Board Room, 201 Blackmur Drive, Water Valley, MS 38965.

Done by Order of the Board of Supervisors of Yalobusha County, Mississippi on this the 6th day of August, 2018.

Amy F. McMinn, Clerk Board of Supervisors, Yalobusha County, Mississippi

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